In the Indiana Supreme Court



IN THE MATTER OF)
THE APPOINTMENT OF)
PATRICK D. SULLIVAN AS) Cause No.94800-0709 - MS- 354
SENIOR JUDGE IN THE)
INDIANA COURT OF APPEALS)

ORDER APPOINTING SENIOR JUDGE

The Chief Judge of the Indiana Court of Appeals has requested the appointment of Senior Judge Patrick D. Sullivan for service in that court for 2007, pursuant to Ind. Code §33-23-3-1.

This Court adopted revisions to Administrative Rule 5 on December 3, 2003, which made certain changes to the senior judge program in recognition of the importance of senior judges to the administration of justice in Indiana trial courts. Accordingly, we find that the Indiana Court of Appeals has demonstrated the need for additional judicial resources. Senior Judge Patrick D. Sullivan has been certified as a senior judge, effective August 2, 2007, by the Judicial Nominating Commission pursuant to Ind. Code §33-27-4-1. This Court may re-examine the appointment made herein at a later date in light of other circumstances, and make adjustments accordingly.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that Senior Judge Patrick D. Sullivan is appointed to serve in the Indiana Court of Appeals at the discretion of the Chief Judge, effective retroactive to August 2, 2007. This appointment shall remain in effect until December 31, 2007. Pursuant to Ind. Code §33-23-3-5, the senior judge appointed by this Court in this Order may not be

compensated as senior judge for more than one hundred (100) days in the aggregate during the 2007 calendar year.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a certified copy of this order to the Honorable John G. Baker, Chief Judge of the Indiana Court of Appeals; to the Honorable Patrick D. Sullivan; to the clerk of the Clerk of the Indiana Court of Appeals; to the Indiana Judicial Center; to the Judicial Qualifications Commission; and to the Division of State Court Administration, Payroll Section.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana this _____ day of September, 2007.

Randall T. Shepard

Chief Justice of Indiana